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Dear Collette

With reference to 1.2 - in the original application 'The approach to the planning application', specifically the section 1.2.3 Which states

" A series of discussions and liaison has been had with local residents to discuss the proposals, together with extensive liaison with local groups who have an interest in the proposed scheme. Discussions have included the working scheme and restoration and as part of these discussions, the proposed extraction scheme and landscaping near to the properties has amended to reduce the potential impacts and bring forward advanced landscaping and planting"

On behalf of the Lancaster Road Quarry Boundary Association (LBQRA) I confirm the following:

At no stage has the Appellant or their representatives proactively contacted the LRQBRA. The limited interaction that has occurred has been initiated solely by us residents.

By way of example, a member of the Association, Marilyn Brown, first contacted Greenfield in 2022. The response received stated that there were "no proposals to submit an application at the present time or in the near future as we are still awaiting a scoping opinion before any final scheme could be formulated."

Subsequently, in October 2022, a further enquiry was made regarding public consultation. The Appellant responded on 22 October confirming that "detailed assessments are currently taking place" and that a "more comprehensive public consultation" would be undertaken once a final scheme had been formulated, anticipated to take place in early 2023.

A further follow-up request regarding consultation was made by the resident in 2023; however, no response was received.

In addition, the LRQBRA has made enquiries with other local groups and directly affected individuals. To our and their knowledge, no proactive engagement or consultation has been undertaken by the Appellant with any of these parties. On this basis, the LRQBRA does not consider that meaningful or proactive consultation with affected residents or representative groups has taken place.

Kind Regards  
Carmel Harding  
On behalf of the LRQBRA

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